



AUGUST 2015

NEWSLETTER

Founded in 1963

Affiliated with the American Orchid Society

In 1963, the Eastern Airlines Orchid Club was formed to foster good fellowship through the common love of orchids in all their forms and varieties; to share both the knowledge and techniques of culture and the mystery and beauty of the plants and flowers.

Visitors Always Welcome



FRIDAY, AUGUST 21
7:30 PM

Florida International University, South Campus
Room WC 130, Next to the Wertheim Conservatory (greenhouse)
SW 8 Street, turn south on 109 Avenue, first parking garage (red) on right,
the building across the street directly south of parking garage

(All Meetings are held on the third Friday of each month at 7:30 p.m. unless otherwise noted)

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE



August is known as the dog days of summer, but it hasn't been too bad so far. Summer is running away from us as fast as it can. The sun is racing as fast as it can to the south and it is coming up later and later each morning. So, if you haven't repotted, you must!

Don't forget our only EALOC auction fund raiser in November. As you are repotting, save those cuttings and repot them and put them aside for the auction. Flowering plants bring the best prices, but plants with pictures of the flowers are always the next best.



Get repotting.

Your president,
Danny

PARKING PAYMENT



Until further notice, please remember to park in the “Pay for Parking” spaces. The machine to pay for parking is located on the first floor of the southeast corner of the parking garage.

The cost is \$3.00 for three hours. If you wish to be reimbursed, please give the receipt to Chris Bernt, treasurer. She will be happy to give you a reimbursement.

WHAT’S HAPPENING?



- August 21.....EALOC Meeting 
- September 18.....EALOC Meeting 
- September 19-20...International Aroid Society Show and Sale (Fairchild)
- October 16.....EALOC Meeting 
- November 13-16...Fall Garden Festival and Ramble (Fairchild)
- November 20.....EALOC Meeting 
- December 5.....EALOC Holiday Party  (Zoo Miami)

CLUB BYLAWS



EALOC members ratified the bylaws. These bylaws can be viewed on the EALOC website at any time.

AUGUST FOOD



This month the food providers will be Beatriz Sosa, Adela Figuerola, and Maria and Vicki Febres-Cordero. Those who participate receive the club’s highest accolades!!! Thanks for sharing!

AUGUST PLANT RAFFLE



The August raffle table will be sponsored by the club. Buy tickets and win, win, win!!!

WEBSITE



The website continues to be visited by many countries, including United States, Brazil, Italy, Chile, Colombia, Spain, Argentina, Germany, Peru, Portugal, Japan, Morocco, Indonesia, Finland, Canada, Romania, Luxembourg, Philippines, Finland, Hong Kong, United Kingdom, Curaçao, Kenya, Malta, Greece, Georgia, Albania, Russia, Ecuador, Australia, Israel, Poland, Belgium, Malaysia, Iraq, Czech Republic, Qatar, South Korea, India, China and the Netherlands. The latest is South Africa!!!

NEW MEMBERS



Hooray!!! We were honored to have a new member join us in July. His contact information can be found on the EALOC website directory.



Joel Exebio

ZOO NEWS



We had a great outing in July. Yes, a great outing. Believe it or not, it wasn't HOT! It was overcast with a great breeze. We had a large crew of eight and we put up a little over 200 phals around Asia River Life exhibit. We had some rookies with us who were fast learners. Thank you all. Good job!!!



CLUB DUES



Guess what? If you look at your membership card, you'll see that your membership is renewed in June. Dues are \$15 per person. Please see Barbara to renew your membership (cash or check only). Correct change is appreciated. You can also mail a check, made out to "Eastern Airlines Orchid Club" and send to Barbara Lutz at 1042 Catalonia Avenue, Coral Gables, FL 33134.

SUNSHINE



No reports have been received for ill or infirmed individuals. If you know of someone who is ill, please call Diane Dickhut at 305-385-4007 and she will send a card from the club.



EALOC FACEBOOK PAGE



Do a search on Facebook for “Eastern Airlines Orchid Club” and visit it often. You can learn and share without leaving home!!!

Now, Internet users can connect to the Facebook page from the new EALOC website!!! This gives the club greater opportunities to share, as well as gain additional prospective club members.

ONLINE DIRECTORY



In lieu of printing the book, members may access the most current directory online and can print a personal copy. This page is password protected for EALOC members only. For the password, please contact Chris Rawls.

Additionally, members may update their contact information at any time by sending the corrections to the webmaster. Just e-mail corrections to E_A_L_O_C@yahoo.com and updates will be entered.

Those persons not having access to the website, may request a printed copy. Please send that request to Chris Rawls via postal mail, telephone or in person.

JULY SPEAKER



Betty Eber took us on a trip to Cuba and we didn't have to leave our seats! As always, if you weren't there, you missed an enjoyable learning experience!!! Gracias, Betty!!!

AUGUST SPEAKER



Jim Davison, orchidist extraordinaire, will give a presentation entitled:

“The Four Horsemen – Cattleyas for Mounting”

So, saddle up and head out to the FIU corral!!!

JULY MEETING REVIEW

PLANTS, PLANTS, PLANTS



Epidendrum [Epi.] Green Hornet
cochleatum x lancifolium
Jorge Li



Eyv. Florida Bay
(B. nodosa x E. pyriformis)
Jorge Li



Rhyncholaeliocattleya [Rlc.]
(syn. Brassolaeliocattleya or Blc.)
Hawaiian Passion
Diane Dickhut



Bl. Richard Mueller x Ctn. Marie Maiden
Rene and Lou Silva



Blc. Sherri Style
"Sunshine"
Rene and Lou Silva

 MEMBERS AT PLAY

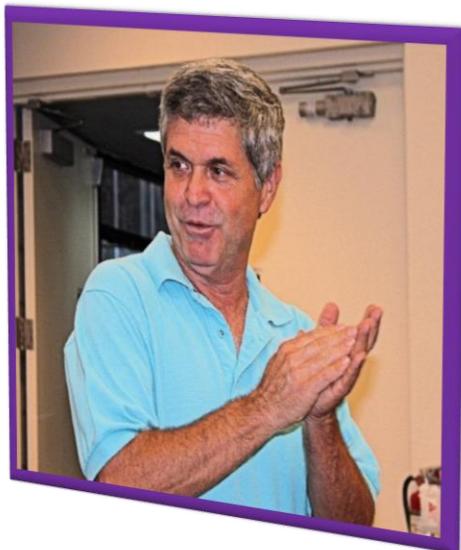


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◆ MEMBERS AT WORK



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RAFFLE PLANTS

